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AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents Mail Stop - Amendment P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

SIR:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

Additional claim fee is required.

The fee has been calculated as shown below.

			CLAIMS AS AMENDE	D		_
	(2) CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		(4) HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	(5) PRESENT EXTRA	(6) RATE	(7) ADDITIONAL FEE
TOTAL CLAIMS	20	MINUS	20		() x 25.00 () x 50.00	s
INDEP. CLAIMS	5	MINUS	5		() X 100.00 () x 200.00	\$
	amended to contain dependent claims ly paid for.		() YES () NO	() \$180.00 () \$360.00 ONE TIME	\$	
			TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT		\$	

	Applicant petitions the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to extend this time for response to the Office
	Action dated for _ month so that the period for response is extended to at \$
	The Commissioner is requested and authorized to charge the amount of \$_ for the _ month extension fee and
	\$ Claim Fee to applicant's attorneys' American Express Account. Form 2038 is attached for that
	purpose for the total amount of §
\boxtimes	The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or to credit any

overpayment to account No. 19-3140. PTO Customer Account No. 26263. A duplicate of this sheet is enclosed.

When phoning re this application, please call 312/876-8000 - Ext. 2886.

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I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as First Class Mail in an envelope addressed to the Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 on January 25, 2005.

> **SIGNATURE** <u>January 25, 2005</u>

DATE